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## SENATE BILL

**No. 426**

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### Introduced by Senator Yee

February 26, 2009

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An act to add Section 60006 to the Education Code, relating to public school instruction.

#### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 426, as amended, Yee. Public school instruction: curriculum frameworks.

Existing law requires the State Board of Education to adopt the content of curriculum frameworks, evaluation criteria, and worksheets developed to supplement curriculum frameworks in accordance with regulations it adopts to govern the development of curriculum frameworks and the adoption of instructional materials.

This bill would require the Senate Committee on Rules to inform the State Department of Education regarding each concurrent resolution adopted by the Legislature that proposes changes to curriculum frameworks that are currently under review by the Curriculum Development and Supplemental Materials Commission. The bill would require the commission, as part of its regular process of developing and revising curriculum frameworks as requested by the state board, to ~~vote on whether to adopt~~ *consider* each concurrent resolution reported to the department by the Senate Committee on Rules *and vote on whether to adopt the resolution*. The bill would require the commission to present

the resolutions it adopts to the state board. The bill would require the state board to consider each of the resolutions presented by the commission as part of the board's regular process of developing and revising curriculum frameworks. The bill would require the commission and the state board to perform these duties within the existing cycle for developing and revising curriculum frameworks in a manner that does not impose additional costs on the department.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. Section 60006 is added to the Education Code,  
2 to read:  
3 60006. (a) The Senate Committee on Rules shall inform the  
4 department regarding each concurrent resolution adopted by the  
5 Legislature that proposes changes to curriculum frameworks that  
6 are currently under review by the Curriculum Development and  
7 Supplemental Materials Commission. As part of its regular process  
8 of developing and revising curriculum frameworks as requested  
9 by the state board, the commission shall ~~vote on whether to adopt~~  
10 *consider* each concurrent resolution reported to the department by  
11 the Senate Committee on Rules, *and shall vote on whether to adopt*  
12 *the resolution*. The commission shall present each of the resolutions  
13 it adopts pursuant to this subdivision to the state board.  
14 (b) The state board shall consider each of the resolutions  
15 presented by the commission pursuant to subdivision (a) as part  
16 of the board's regular process of developing and revising  
17 curriculum frameworks.  
18 (c) The commission and the state board shall perform the duties  
19 specified in this section within the existing cycle for developing  
20 and revising curriculum frameworks in a manner that does not  
21 impose additional costs on the department.

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